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FM AMEMBASSY GABORONE

TO SECSTATE WASHDC 5221

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AMEMBASSY MBABANE

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SUBJECT: AMBASSADOR DESIGNATE BOLEN'S PRESENTATION OF
CREDENTIALS

REF: STATE 049453

1. OFFICE OF PRESIDENT HAS ARRANGED FOR AMBASSADOR BOLEN
PRESENT CREDENTIALS THURSDAY, APRIL 11, AT 4:45 P.M.
EMBASSY AND OFFICE OF PRESIDENT PROTOCOL OFFICER ALSO
ARRANGING FOR AMBASSADOR TO CALL ON MINISTERS AND MEMBERS
OF DIPLOMATIC CORPS DURING WEEK OF APRIL 8 PRIOR TO
PRESENTATION CEREMONY.

2. IT CUSTOMARY IN GABORONE TO HOLD RECEPTION EVENING
FOLLOWING PRESENTATION OF CREDENTIALS. CHARGE SUGGESTS
THAT HE INVITE MINISTERS AND KEY GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS TO
INITIAL INTRODUCTORY COCKTAIL PARTY AT HIS HOME UNLESS
AMBASSADOR BOLEN PREFERS THAT RECEPTION BE HELD AT HIS
RESIDENCE. BELIEVE SECOND RECEPTION WILL BE REQUIRED BUT
SUGGEST THIS BE DEFERRED UNTIL AFTER AMBASSADOR BOLEN
RETURNS FROM TRIP TO SWAZILAND AND LESOTHO. CHARGE WOULD
ALSO BE PLEASED TO HOST THIS RECEPTION. GUEST LIST FOR
SECOND RECEPTION CAN BE DRAWN UP FOLLOWING AMBASSADOR'S
ARRIVAL AT POST. PLEASE ADVISE WHETHER PROPOSED ARRANGE-
MENTS IN ACCORDANCE WITH AMBASSADOR BOLEN'S WISHES.

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3. OFFICE OF PRESIDENT HAS REQUESTED COPY OF AMBASSADOR'S

FORMAL REMARKS AT EARLIEST CONVENIENT TIME IN ORDER THAT
PRESIDENT KHAMA CAN PREPARE HIS RESPONSE.
BISHOP

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